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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **Hu Yang et. al.**
Serial Number **09/666,642**
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Examiner **Jeffrey C. Mullis**
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For: **COMPATABLE BLEND SYSTEMS OF OXYGEN BARRIER
POLYMERS AND OXYGEN SCAVENGING POLYMERS**

**REQUEST FOR EXTENTION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE AFTER
FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 10, 2004**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of two months to and including October 10, 2004, in which to respond to the final Office Action dated May 10, 2004, and the Advisory Action Dated August 2, 2004. As October 10, 2004, falls on a Sunday, and October 11, 2004, is a Federal Holiday, the due date to respond is October 12, 2004.

The Commissioner is authorized to deduct the extension fee of \$430.00 from the Chevron Phillips Chemical Company LP Deposit Account No. 50-1629. Should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed material, or should

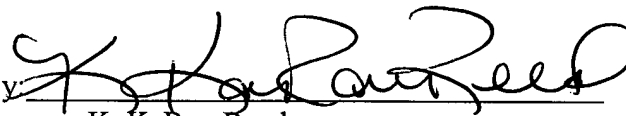
an overpayment be included herein, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to deduct or credit said fees from or to the Chevron Phillips Chemical Company LP Deposit Account No. 50-1629.

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Respectfully submitted,

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